



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re the Application of:**

William H. ROBERTSON, et al.

**Serial No.: 10/600,999**

**Filed: June 20, 2003**

**For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
FACILITATING ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT  
AND CHIP DESIGN USING REMOTELY  
LOCATED RESOURCES**

**Group Art Unit: 2825**

**Examiner:** Whitmore, Stacy

**Confirmation No.: 5787**

## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**Dear Sir:**

In response to the final Office Action mailed July 5, 2006, Applicants respectfully request to amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.**

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